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Applicant: Karl-Lutz Lauterjung	§	Group Art Unit: 3738
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	§	Examiner: Paul B. Prebilic
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For: Prosthetic Repair of Body Passages	§	Atty. Dkt. No.: VAS.0002US
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Customer No.: 21906	§	Confirmation No.: 8837

Mail Stop **Amendment**
 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
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SUPPLEMENT TO RCE SUBMISSION

Dear Sir:

In response to the telephonic interview with Examiner Prebilic on February 15, 2005, and the Interview Summary mailed on February 28, 2005, please consider the following:

- *Claim Amendments*, which begin on page 2 of this paper; and
- *Remarks*, which begin on page 7 of this paper.

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